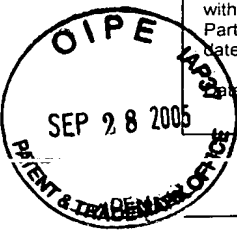


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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response dated September 15, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits a complete Declaration and Power of Attorney form and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624, under Order No. NY-LUD 5739-US.

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Indication of Small Entity Status
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/31/2005
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- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/31/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/31/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/05/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/31/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/31/2005

Applicant's response filed 07/05/2005 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 05/26/2005 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - Only one full Declaration was submitted. Please provide page one (cover letter) to the second Declaration.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of **ONE MONTH** from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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